



**PETROLEUM MANAGEMENT, INC.**  
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February 28, 2023

Maryland Department of the Environment  
Oil Control Program  
Attn: Lindley Campbell  
1800 Washington Blvd., Suite 620  
Baltimore, MD 21230-1719

**RE: Wiley H. Bates Middle School  
701 Chase St., Annapolis, MD  
MDE Facility ID# 3200**

### REPORT OF OBSERVATION

On Friday afternoon, February 24, 2023, at approximately 2:15 pm, during weekly inspection of the storm drain outfall from the Bates Middle School location to the discharge at Spa Creek, Mr. Brian Wells of Anne Arundel County Public Schools (AACPS) observed an accumulation of red stained water at the outfall location in pooled water behind existing boom installations. As observed by Mr. Wells, the red liquid had not absorbed into the boom installations and did not absorb into oil absorbent spill pads when applied to the surface of the water indicating that this was not a petroleum-based liquid.

At approximately 2:30 pm, Mr. Wells made notification to Susan Bull of MDE's Oil Control Program as well as to Mr. Scott Alexander of Petroleum Management, Inc. (PMI). As advised by PMI and supported by MDE, a vacuum truck was dispatched to the site to pump out and remove the accumulated water. Vacuum truck was dispatched by PMI at approx. 2:50 pm and arrived at the site at 3:36 pm. Additionally, Mr. Chris Williams, EHS Manager at AACPS, arrived at 3:45 to observe and support clean-up efforts. It was also noted that a local resident and member of the Spa Creek Conservancy appeared on site around 4:00 pm and was reassured of the clean-up efforts that were occurring and was informed that the red substance was not a petroleum-based product.

Mr. Mike Edillon, Environmental Manager from PMI, arrived to the site and inspected the location and confirmed that the red liquid was not a fuel oil product but most likely and similar to a discarded paint material dumped at the location. Also observed was that the impacted area was isolated to the outfall location and did not appear to have originated from upstream or inside the underground storm drain piping. The vacuum truck proceeded to pump out all accumulated liquid in the outfall area. By 5:00 pm, a total of 1962 gallons was recovered and transported by PMI for disposal (BOL# 36601 attached).

Also investigated by PMI, Mike Edillon proceeded to gauge the tank field monitoring pipes (TFMP) at the UST location behind Bates Middle School. No liquid phase hydrocarbon (LPH) was observed in either TFMP and it was confirmed that there had been no release from the UST systems. The active construction area and open trench excavations at the rear of Bates Middle School were also investigated and found to have no signs of any fuel spills or indications of any red paint being used or spilled in the area. All observations made by both PMI and AACPS were reported back via phone call to Susan Bull of MDE.

Based on observations, it appears as though this accumulation of red liquid at the storm drain outfall was an isolated incident not associated with any fuel oil spill or release at the Bates Middle School location. Please find attached documentation of this investigation including photographs of the scene.

Please contact our office with any questions.

Regards,



W. Scott Alexander

Environmental Projects Manager

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cc: *Mr. Brian Wells, M.S.*  
*Environmental Health & Safety Specialist*  
*Anne Arundel County Public Schools*  
*9034 Fort Smallwood Road*  
*Pasadena, Maryland 21122*

*Mr. Christopher Williams*  
*EHS Manager*  
*Anne Arundel County Public Schools*  
*9034 Fort Smallwood Road*  
*Pasadena, Maryland 21122*



# Petroleum Management, Inc



Day: Friday

Date: 2023-02-24

**Job Location:** AACPS - Willey H Bates Middle School - 701 Chase Ave  
701 Chase Ave  
Annapolis Maryland, 21401

**Bill To:** Anne Arundel County Public Schools (AACPS)  
9034 Ft Smallwood Rd  
Pasadena Maryland, 21122

**Contact:** Jim Perpley

**Contact:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone:** 410-562-0138

**Phone:** 443-770-5911

### JOB DESCRIPTION:

Upon inspection, redness in creek appeared to have been from dumped paint. Pumped out storm drain outfall. Mike E. replaced three sorbent boom and gauged three monitoring wells up by the UST system.

Title / Name	Equipment Type / Number	Start Time	Stop Time	Total Hours
Kelly Silver	VAC-10	14:00	18:00	4:00
Mike Edillon	SV-24	14:00	18:00	4:00

### MATERIALS:

Description	Quantity
Interface Probe	1
Sorbent Boom (each)	3
Misc hand tools	...

### SUB CONTRACTORS:

Info	

### DISPOSAL:

	Amount in Gallon	Manifest Number
Liquid Disposal	1962	36601
Sludge Disposal		
Other		

### PETROLEUM MANAGEMENT

### CLIENT

Print Name: Kelly Silver

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: KELLY

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: 2/24/2023

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

# Petroleum Management, Inc.

MD, Oil Operation Permit No: 2011-OPT-38311  
 EPA Identification NO: MDR000525278  
 Federal ID NO: 42-2014536

5218 Curtis Avenue ♦ Baltimore, Maryland 21226 ♦ Phone 410-354-0200 ♦ Fax 410-721-1390

Bill of Lading/Manifest No. 36601

Generator/Shipper: Anne Arundel County Public Schools (AACPS)			Billing Name: Anne Arundel County Public Schools (AACPS)		
Site Address: 701 Chase Ave			Address: 9034 Ft Smallwood Rd		
City: Annapolis	State: MD	Zip: 21401	City: Pasadena	State: MD	Zip: 21122
Phone: 410-562-0138	Contact: Jim Perpley		Phone: 443-770-5911	Contact: Jim Perpley	

Purchase Order No:

### MATERIAL CHARACTERIZATION (CHECK ALL THAT APPLY):

Description:	Gallons	Description:	Gallons	Description:	Gallons
Gasoline, 3, UN1203, PGIII		Hazardous Waste, Liquid, 9 NA3082, PGIII		JP#4	
#2 fuel Oil, 3, NA1993, PGIII		Hazardous Waste, Solid, 9 NA3077, PGIII		JP#5	
#4 fuel Oil, 3 NA1993, PGIII		Paint Thinners, 3, UN1263, PGI		Jet A	
#6 fuel Oil, 3, NA1993, PGIII		Ethylene Glycol, 9, UN3082, PGIII		Sludge	
Diesel, 3, NA1993 PGIII		Lube Oil		Petroleum Contaminated Water	
Flammable Liquids, NOS, 3, UN1993, PGI		Waste Oil		non-Haz impacted water	1962
Corrosive Liquids, NOS, 3, UN1760, PGI		Kerosene		Other	
No of Drums:		No. of Tanks:		Other	
Scale Weights (Soil): Total: (Tons )		Tare: (Tons)		Net: (Tons)	

Service Description : Pumped out storm drain outfall.

PLACARDS TENDERED  YES  NO

EMERGENCY CONTACT (410) 354-0200

### Generator/Shipper Certification Statement

As the generator or shipper, I hereby certify that this material is properly classified and does not contain Polychlorinated Biphenyls (PCB'S). To the best of my knowledge it has not been mixed, combined or blended in any amount with any other material defined as hazardous waste under applicable law. Generator/Shipper agrees to indemnify and hold Petroleum Management, Inc. harmless for any damages arising from or in any way relating to a breach of this Certification Statement.

**X** Generator/Shipper Authorized Agent (Print) AACPS Date Of Services 02/24/2023

**X** Generator/Shipper Authorized Agent (Signature)

### HAULER/CARRIER INFORMATION

Co. Name <b>Petroleum Management, Inc.</b>		Driver Name (print) <b>Kelly Silver</b>	
Street <b>5218 Curtis Avenue</b>		Driver Signature <i>KELLY</i>	
City <b>Baltimore</b>	State <b>MD</b>	Zip <b>21226</b>	Phone <b>410-354-0200</b>

The above mentioned materials have been received by this facility and will be handled in accordance with all applicable rules and regulations. All quantities are subject to final verification by this facility and are indicated in far right box.

### RECEIVING FACILITY ACCEPTANCE

Facility Name PMI

Acceptance Signature

Phone 410-354-0200

Total Quantity Received 1962



















